

## RESOLUTION AS TO CITY PAYROLL.

Council Last Night Took a Straight Party Vote on the Question.

FELT TO AUDIT THE SHEETS.

Hearing on Charges Against Land And Water Commissioner Continued Until Wednesday.

By a straight party vote of 8 to 6, the city council last night in special session passed a resolution instructing City Auditor Felt to audit the payrolls for the last half of February, which he has held up, and transmit them to the council at its next meeting for further action. The resolution was introduced by Black and was opposed by Fernstrom, Wells and Hartenstein. The minority members claimed that the resolution undertaken to ratify and approve the employment of all the employees on the payrolls, which, in view of the fact that the revised ordinances do not provide for the employment of the most at all, is clearly illegal. They contended that the proper way to give authority in such matters is by ordinance.

Fernstrom made the point of order against the resolution that there was nothing before the council but a resolution. President Hester, however, said that the resolution was a matter of fact, and that the council had the right to pass it. The resolution was then passed by a vote of 8 to 6. The resolution, which follows in full, was then adopted by the same vote:

"Whereas, The payrolls of the cemetery, street waterworks, land and water commissioner, health and engineering departments for the half month ending Feb. 29 were filed with the city auditor as required by law, on Feb. 29, and the same were transmitted to the city council, and

"Whereas, It appears that a portion of the labor represented by said payrolls was performed under express orders of the city council, approved by the mayor, and much of said labor was of an emergency nature, and the arbitrary action of the auditor has worked a great hardship upon the laborers;

"Be it resolved, That the action of the city council, street supervisor, superintendent of waterworks, land and water commissioner, health and engineering departments in employing the employees listed on their respective payrolls of Feb. 29, 1904, at the rate of compensation therein contained, be and the same is hereby ratified and approved, and the auditor is instructed to audit said payrolls without further delay and submit the same to this council at its next regular session for such further action as the council may deem proper in the premises."

The hearing on the charges against Land and Water Commissioner MacKnight and Superintendent of Waterworks Hines, preferred by Fernstrom, was continued until next Wednesday night, owing to sickness in the family of Mr. MacKnight.

**PORTER WAS NOT HELD.**

No One Criminally Responsible for the Death of Ben Haddock.

"We, the said jurors, on our oaths do say that the deceased came to his death at Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 29th day of February, and that death was caused, in our judgment, by a nervous shock and fracture of the skull, occasioned by a fall for which we believe to be to be criminally responsible."

(Signed) "D. B. JEREMY," "J. S. STEPHENS," "G. H. CUTTING."

The foregoing verdict, exonerating George Porter from all blame for the death of his father-in-law, was returned shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. As the verdict was being read young Porter evinced the deepest interest and when Justice Clark said, "Mr. Porter, I have the pleasure of informing you that you are a free man," relief was evident in his expression and his eyes filled with tears and his voice with emotion as he thanked the judge and jurors for his expression and verdict rendered.

At the afternoon session of the inquest Robert Williams, Mrs. Haddock's brother, described the death scene and expressed the conviction that Mr. Haddock's death was due to a return of an old trouble and not to the quarrel he had with his son-in-law.

Dr. Odell, who conducted the autopsy, testified that the heart, lungs and other vital organs of the dead man were in normal condition and that the fracture on the skull was not in itself sufficient to cause death. The exact cause of death, he said, could not be determined.

The testimony was concluded about 4 o'clock and half an hour later the jury returned with the verdict above given.

Funeral services over the remains of Mr. Haddock were held this afternoon from the Twenty-ninth ward chapel.

**INFORMATION WANTED.**

Mr. James Hunt of Amherst, Nova Scotia, is very desirous of learning the whereabouts of his aunt, Jane Brain Vaughan, and would greatly appreciate any information a friend of the family might be able to give him respecting her. He is the only son of Mrs. Sarah Hunt, deceased, late of Great Britain, England.

**DRUG FIRM SELLS OUT.**

Nelson-Judson Company Goes to the Smiths of St. Joseph, Mo.

The Nelson-Judson Drug company has sold out to E. C. Smith and L. M. Smith of St. Joseph, Mo., and the latter are now in possession. The consideration is not made public. The purchasers own the C. D. Smith Drug company of St. Joseph and will continue both establishments, retaining the old name for the Salt Lake house, and remain with the latter. Mr. Judson will be paid in 30 days, and Mr. Nelson for an indefinite period.

Mr. Nelson began 26 years ago as a

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## TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

(DO YOU REMEMBER?)

In a discussion of the naval appropriation bill, Congressman Thomas declared that our navy was in such lamentable condition that any nation could send two ships here and lay waste all the coast cities.

The annual report of the United States showed gross earnings for the year of \$21,000,000.

**TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.**

Gladstone officially resigned the premiership of England and it was reported that Roseberry would succeed him.

The government assessed damages of \$140,454 against the Carnegie Steel company for irregularities in armor plate contracts.

**FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY.**

The American Smelting & Refining company completed its organization with a capitalization of about \$46,000,000.

The Legislature first considered the bill creating the office of district attorney in each of the judicial districts.

druggists in this city, with the Moore, Allen Drug company, and in 1884 went into business for himself with Bolivar Roberts, the firm being Roberts & Nelson, but in 1892 changed the business to one exclusively wholesale. Mr. Nelson bought out Mr. Roberts in 1892, and a year later took in J. J. Judson of this city, and E. C. Smith of St. Joseph, Mo., incorporating under the title of Nelson-Judson Drug company. In 1895 the concern removed from East Temple to West Temple street, the present quarters, where a very large business has been done.

### ROBBED OF \$205.

Ed. Lewis and Tom Johnson Arrested For "Touching" an Italian.

A man giving the name of Ed Lewis, was arrested early this morning by Sergeant Roberts on the charge of robbery. It is alleged that Lewis, who is said to be a grafter and all around crook of the smoothest kind, robbed an Italian named Dominick Massa of \$205 in a South Temple street roominghouse. A boy named Tom Johnson was also arrested as an accomplice of Lewis. According to Massa's story, the three occupied the same room, and that after he had gone to bed, Lewis and Johnson robbed him.

### "OH, PSHAW."

That Was as Near as an Intoxicated Engineer Got to His Name.

Joseph Shaw, a railroad engineer, got himself into trouble at the Bon Ton theater yesterday afternoon. After taking on a pretty large sized "load," he proceeded to the theater and soon after the performance started fell fast asleep.

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asleep. When it came closing up time the usher tried to wake Joe, and induce him to leave the house. But Joe refused to go and the usher called another employee of the place to assist in throwing the engineer out. Their task proved to be too much for them as Joe howled then over like nine pins. At this point Officer Carlson appeared on the scene and hauled Shaw off to jail. While being searched in the desk sergeant's office, all Shaw could say was "Oh, pshaw."

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### GRAFTER'S NEW GAME.

Bogus Assessor Goes Into Fake Real Estate Business and Steals Watch.

In view of the wide publicity given his game, the thief who has been representing himself as an assessor and collector changed his outward occupation yesterday. He became a real estate agent, and on the pretext of desiring to purchase the place, called at the home of Mrs. Anna Bentrod, 52 Quince street, and asked if he might look through the house. The permission was granted. The prospective purchaser was mightily interested, apparently, and would have stayed there for a week or two, had he not been told by the owner that the house was for sale.

Soon after his departure, Mrs. Bentrod missed her gold watch from the mantle. She suspected the real estate agent and told the police. Her description fitted the popular grafter to the proverbial "T."

### WANT AD GRAFT.

Wm. McKee the Latest Victim of a Very Ancient Trick.

William McKee, 307 Second East street, is the latest victim of a graft that is more palpable than usual, and as old as the deluge. The smooth stranger inserted a want ad in the papers, for a collector. "Middle-aged man, salary \$14 weekly. Address H-5," etc.

Of course the responses were numerous. Among the applicants was Mr. McKee. Last Tuesday the grafter went to McKee's house and explained that he was the advertiser. He represented the Manhattan Tea and Coffee company and desired a good man to collect and deliver. McKee was just the man, he thought, and if they got along well, the salary would be raised to \$15. McKee accepted the place. The stranger said he would require a cash bond of \$25. Having only \$10 in the house, McKee handed over that much, and the affable stranger, because he liked McKee's honest amount at \$2 per week. The new collector was told to be at 313 Ninth East street the next morning to start work. He was there—or rather, where that number should be. It is a vacant lot. McKee brought out the receipt given by the stranger for his \$10, and found the name on it was undecipherable.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Sprunt and Mr. J. L. Catron took place yesterday, the ceremony being performed at noon at the home of the bride. The wedding was a quiet one, only the families and intimate friends being present. Mr. and Mrs. Catron will reside at 411 Walker terrace.

Mrs. David Hemphill entertained at luncheon today, the event being the third in a series.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Druehl entertained the members of their club, the Oxford Lyceum, last night, a delightful evening being spent.

Next Tuesday the ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a lemon tea at the home of Mrs. H. G. McMillan.

Mrs. L. K. Ritter and Miss Louise

Bitter left for the coast, where they will spend several weeks.

Misses Geneve and Ethel Felt entertained at an informal evening party at their home last night.

Mrs. J. N. Sharp entertained the Sewing club yesterday.

Mrs. Lydia D. Alder is among the Utah women who have been invited to speak at the International Woman's Congress in Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Huntsman have returned from Pocatello, and are at home at 120 west Fourth South street.

Mrs. W. C. Thomas has returned from Boise, where she has been visiting with friends.

### Twenty Years Trial.

There are lots of good things the doctors know nothing about. We frequently cure people of disease after the doctors have given them up. If the disease comes from overwork, dissipation or exposure, causing weak and watery blood and loss of flesh and strength, we have the cure remedy in Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic. These tablets taken with meals turn the flesh in to rich red blood, making strong, steady nerves and increasing the strength, producing solid flesh at the rate of 1 to 3 lbs. per week. This means health. Druggists sell Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic for 75c. per box or 3 boxes for \$2. For nervous prostration, loss of memory, or a pale, sallow complexion, a better remedy was never made. Doctors know nothing about this remedy only the fact that we make cures which we have been doing for 20 years. For sale by Z. C. M. I. Drug Department.

### Ward Entertainments.

The Sunday school of the Third ward will give an apron and necktie party in the ward hall tomorrow night. The ladies will furnish the aprons and neckties and the girls will claim as their partners for the evening those wearing aprons corresponding with the neckties drawn.

The Twentieth Ward Minstrels will appear in the ward annex tonight, when an enjoyable time is assured all who attend.

"Under The Magnolias," by Opie Reed, and dramatized by Senator S. H. Love was presented in the Forest Dale amusement hall Tuesday night to a crowded house. The characters were all well sustained and the handsome scenery, just completed for the Granite stake amusement hall, added greatly to the success of the play. The plot is well defined and deals with the political troubles which existed in the south following the Civil war. The players are all local people and deserve great credit for their efforts which have been given free to financially assist the wards and state.

The play will be given in the Granite stake amusement hall tomorrow night and the improved facilities of the stage and extra rehearsals will undoubtedly insure a good performance.

### Children's Coughs and Colds.

Mrs. Joe McGrath, 327 E. 1st St., Hutchinson, Kan., writes: "I have given Ballard's Kernaland Syrup to my children for coughs and colds for the past four years, and find it the best medicine I ever used." Unlike many cough syrups, it contains no opium, but will soothe and heal any disease of the throat or lungs quicker than any other remedy. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

### GENERAL CHURCH NEWS.

The quarterly conference of the Big Horn synod will be held Sunday. It is expected Elder Abraham O. Woodruff will attend the meetings.

The missionaries laboring under the direction of the Mutual Improvement Association will meet in room 33, B. Y. Memorial hall, Wednesday, March 9, at 7:30 p. m.

The stake board of the Y. M. M. I. A. held its regular monthly meeting last night, at which the aids present reviewed conditions in their respective wards. The reports were highly satisfactory, showing that the associations were doing good work and had been much benefited in their study of the Book of Mormon during the winter. The meetings will be continued until March 29, closing on that evening with a social party.

### WESTERN MARKET LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 29.—Cattle receipts at Kansas City last week were 34,900, previous week, 33,995; correspondingly last year, 34,999. Heavy receipts the first two days of the week caused a loss of 10 to 20 cents on nearly every kind, but diminished supply later restored most of this loss, especially on the kind kinds. A fair supply of fed western steers, the best of which closed the week about steady with the close of previous week; the common ones 10 to 15 cents lower. Top westerns brought \$5.35 Friday, and sales ranged from this down to \$3.75 during the week. Cow stuff, fair to good quality, was steady; others weak. Good, light stockers and heavy feeders sold steady. Common kinds weak and lower, the extreme loss for the week being 25 cents. The run today is moderate at 5,000; prices on all classes are steady to strong, stockers and feeders showing a special strength on account of good speculative demand, as the yards were left cleaned at the close of last week. Stockers and feeders range in price from \$3.50 to \$4.25.

Sheep receipts here last week were 27,546; previous week, 19,716; corresponding week last year, 19,262. The market on good muttons remained about steady all week, changing very little any day, and closing firm. Yearlings lost 5 to 10 cents, but lambs were punished more severely. Too many medium to common kinds of lambs were offered, and buyers were more or less

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TO MOTHERS OF BOYS.



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Mostly medium weights, just right for early spring wear.

Not all sizes in any one style, but your boy's size in a fair variety of patterns.

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\$2.50 Suits for \$1.85	\$5.00 Suits for \$3.75
\$3.00 Suits for \$2.25	\$6.00 Suits for \$4.50
\$3.50 Suits for \$2.50	\$7.50 Suits for \$5.75

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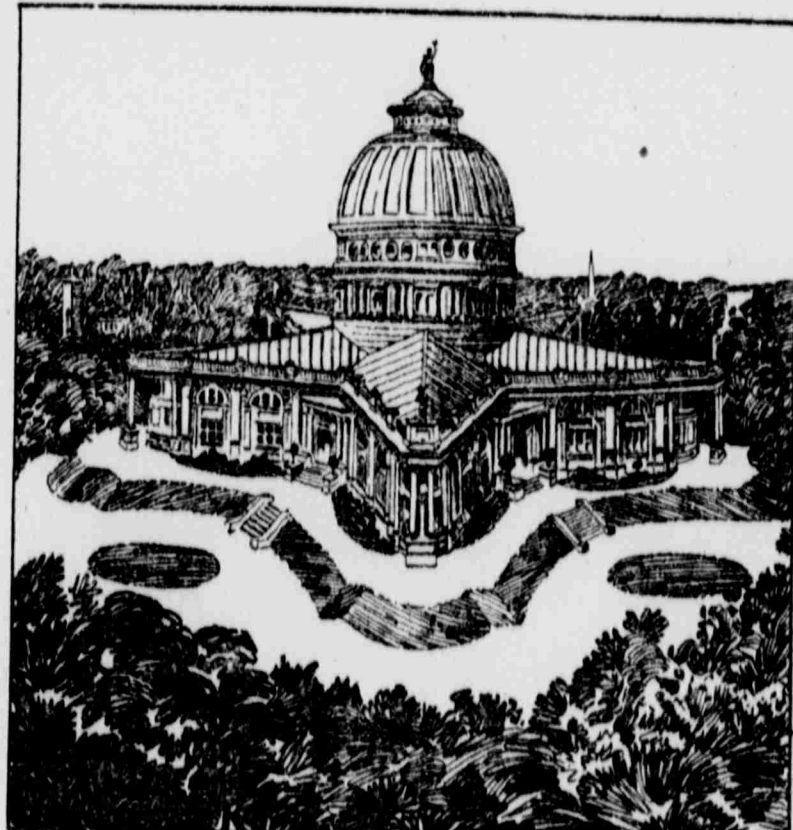
ORDERS BY MAIL PROMPTLY FILLED.

Indifferent about taking them. Best kinds of lambs, however, lost only 5 to 10 cents, medium to common kinds, 15 to 25 cents. Supply of sheep today is 9,800, and prices are steady on everything except medium to common lambs, which are again a shade lower. Western fed weathers sold today at \$4.50; ewes at \$4.25; yearlings at \$5.10, and lambs at \$5.50, with a small bunch of lambs at \$5.75.

### A SMALL AUDIENCE.

Ethel Barrymore, at a reception in Philadelphia, talked about small audiences.

### AN EDIFICE IN THE FORM OF A STAR.



TEXAS BUILDING AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

One of the most unique buildings at the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis is that representing the state of Texas. The general plan of this edifice is in the form of a five pointed star, in commemoration of the fact that Texas is the Lone Star State. When she declared her independence from Mexico the flag of the then republic of Texas bore a single star, and when she entered the American Union the emblem took its place in her state seal. The building, which is herewith shown, will be very conspicuous, being on a raised surface artistically terraced. In the center the edifice consists of a single Great dome. Branching off from this are five great wings, each running to a point, with Grecian columns at the ends. Between the wings of the star are the entrances. This unique building is to be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies on March 30. Doubtless at that time will be sung once more the old war song that has so often stirred the Texan heart, "Hurrah, hurrah, for the bonny blue flag that bears a single star!"

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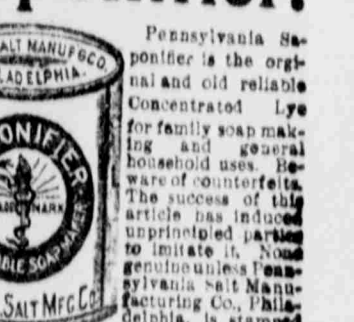
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